

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Andre FRANCISCO et al.**

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Examiner: **Matthew John Kasztejna**

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FOR SAID SYSTEM**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated December 11, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

A petition for a two-month extension of time is submitted with this paper.